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CITATION AND NOTIFICATION OF PENALTY

We believe that you violated the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C. § 2131 et seq.) (AWA), as described below.

Date of Violation: March 28, 2013

9 C.F.R. § 2.40(b)(2) Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors). Each dealer or exhibitor shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries, and the availability of emergency, weekend, and holiday care.

You failed to provide adequate veterinary care for the following animals:

- 1) 1 female Yorkshire terrier that had matted fur entangled with feces on both hind legs;
- 2) 1 female Shih Tzu that had mats on her face, ears, legs, chest and back; and
- 3) 1 male Chihuahua that had a hard brown substance covering many of his teeth, especially in the back.

Date of Violation: March 28, 2013

9 C.F.R. § 2.50(a)(2) Time and method of identification. A class "A" dealer (breeder) shall identify all live dogs and cats on the premises as follows: Live puppies or kittens, less than 16 weeks of age, shall be identified by an official tag; a distinctive and legible tattoo marking approved by the Administrator; or a plastic-type collar acceptable to the Administrator which has legibly placed thereon the information required for an official tag.

You failed to properly identify 2 Shih Tzu puppies and 1 Chihuahua puppy that were housed together.

Date of Violation: December 19, 2013

9 C.F.R. § 2.50(a)(2) Time and method of identification. A class "A" dealer (breeder) shall identify all live dogs and cats on the premises as follows: Live puppies or kittens, less than 16 weeks of age, shall be identified by an official tag; a distinctive and legible tattoo marking approved by the Administrator; or a



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Date of Violation: December 19, 2013

9 C.F.R. § 3.1(c)(3) Housing facilities, general. Surfaces. Cleaning. Hard surfaces with which the dogs or cats come in contact must be spot-cleaned daily and sanitized in accordance with §3.11(b) of this subpart to prevent accumulation of excreta and reduce disease hazards.

You failed to properly clean and sanitize several outdoor enclosures that had an excessive buildup of feces.

Date of Violation: February 27, 2014

9 C.F.R. § 3.4(b)(4) Outdoor housing facilities. Outdoor facilities for dogs must include one or more shelter structures that are accessible to each animal in each outdoor facility, and that are large enough to allow each animal in the shelter structure to sit, stand, and lie in a normal manner, and to turn about freely. Shelters in outdoor facilities for dogs must contain a roof, four sides, and a floor, and must:

(4) Contain clean, dry, bedding material if the ambient temperature is below 50 degrees F. Additional clean, dry bedding is required when the temperature is 35 degrees F or lower.

You failed to provide sufficient clean, dry bedding in shelters for several dogs. The ambient temperature was 33.9 degrees F, and the temperatures were below 20 degrees F the night before.

Date of Violation: June 24, 2014

9 C.F.R. § 2.40(b)(2) Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors). Each dealer or exhibitor shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries, and the availability of emergency, weekend, and holiday care.

You failed to provide adequate veterinary care for the following animals:

- 1) 1 black and white female Poodle that had a red bulbous growth protruding from its left eye; and the right eye had a creamy, white mucus on the upper eye lid and at the corner of the eye;
- 2) 1 grey female Chihuahua that had hairless spots on its head, neck, and shoulders; and
- 3) 1 red Poodle named Wendy that had excessive matting of its fur.



Date of Violation: June 24, 2014

9 C.F.R. § 3.1(f) Housing facilities, general. Drainage and waste disposal. Housing facility operators must provide for regular and frequent collection, removal, and disposal of animal and food wastes, bedding, debris, garbage, water, other fluids and wastes, and dead animals, in a manner that minimizes contamination and disease risks.

You failed to collect and remove excessive feces that collected at the enclosure fence line.

The penalty for the alleged violation(s) described above is \$2,857.